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Applicant: Scott A. Cluff et al.

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For: RECOVERING A SYSTEM THAT
HAS EXPERIENCED A FAULT

§ Group Art Unit: 2184

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 29, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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